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REFERENCE TO:  LAUNCH AREA G3-G4  
TYURATAM MISSILE TEST CENTER, USSR

1. SIGNIFICANCE: ADDITIONAL DETAILS OF MODIFICATIONS TO  
LAUNCH AREA.
2. LOCATION: APPROXIMATELY 30 NM NW OF THE TYURATAM MAIN  
SUPPORT BASE AND 2.3 NM NE OF THE LAUNCH COMPLEX  
"G" SUPPORT FACILITY.
3. REMARKS: LAUNCH AREA G3-G4 WAS CONSIDERED COMPLETE IN  
; HOWEVER, RENEWED CONSTRUCTION  
ACTIVITY HAS BEEN EVIDENT WITHIN THE LAUNCH AREA  
SINCE   
  
THE DOUBLE-FENCED LAUNCH AREA CONTAINS 2 RAIL-  
SERVED LAUNCH PADS, EACH HAVING AN EXHAUST APERTURE  
AT ITS APPROXIMATE CENTER AND A BLAST DEFLECTOR  
PARALLEL TO BOTH SIDES.  
  
EACH PAD IS SERVED BY A MISSILE GANTRY MOUNTED ON  
RAILS EXTENDING TO THE REAR OF THE PAD. AN "L"-  
SHAPED ELECTRONIC FACILITY IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY  
5,000 FT SSW OF THE CENTER OF THE LAUNCH AREA.

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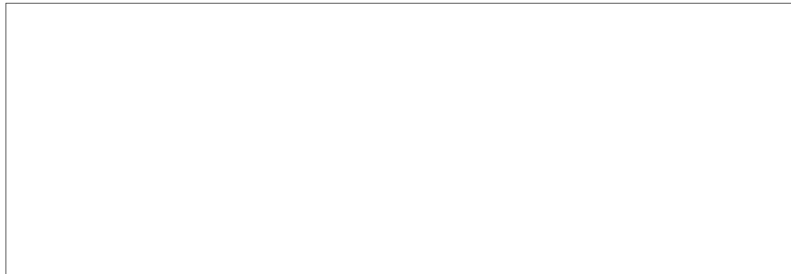
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5. FIRST IDENTIFICATION:



6. NEGATION DATE:

7. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE:

27 KH-4, 12 KH-7,



8. DIMENSIONS/  
SPECIFICATIONS:

PAD SEPARATION

-- 2,000 FT

PAD ORIENTATION:

PAD G3

PAD G4



LAUNCH PADS (EACH)

-- 120



EXHAUST APERTURE (EACH) -- 25 FT (DIAM.)

PREIMETER OF EXHAUST  
APERTURE (EACH)

--  (DIAM.)

GANTRY HEIGHT (BOTH)

-- 190 FT

GANTRY TRACK WIDTH



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9. MISSION READOUT: THE BUILDING CONSTRUCTED AT THE FORWARD CENTER OF THE LAUNCH AREA HAS 3 CYLINDRICAL STRUCTURES ON ITS ROOF. A NEW DITCH HAS BEEN OPENED FROM THE WESTERN EARTH-MOUNDED BUILDING WEST OF G<sup>4</sup>, THROUGH AN EARTH-MOUNDED BUILDING NEAR THE CENTER OF THE LAUNCH AREA, TO A POINT JUST WEST OF THE SUMP. THE WESTERN SIDE OF THE SUMP HAS BEEN EXCAVATED. SEVERAL HUNDRED FEET TO THE REAR OF THE SUMP, THIS NEW DITCH FORKS WITH A BRANCH EXTENDED TO THE NW A SHORT DISTANCE. THE BUILDING UNDER CONSTRUCTION NEAR THE SITE ENTRANCE HAS A STACK ON ITS EAST SIDE. THE BUILT-IN ERECTORS ON BOTH PADS ARE PARTIALLY ERECTED. A MISSILE TRANSPORTING RAIL CAR IS AT THE SOUTH EDGE OF PAD G3. THE NEW RECTANGULAR BUILDING EAST OF G<sup>4</sup> IS NOW RAIL SERVED. BOTH GANTRIES ARE LOCATED TO THE REAR OF THE PADS.

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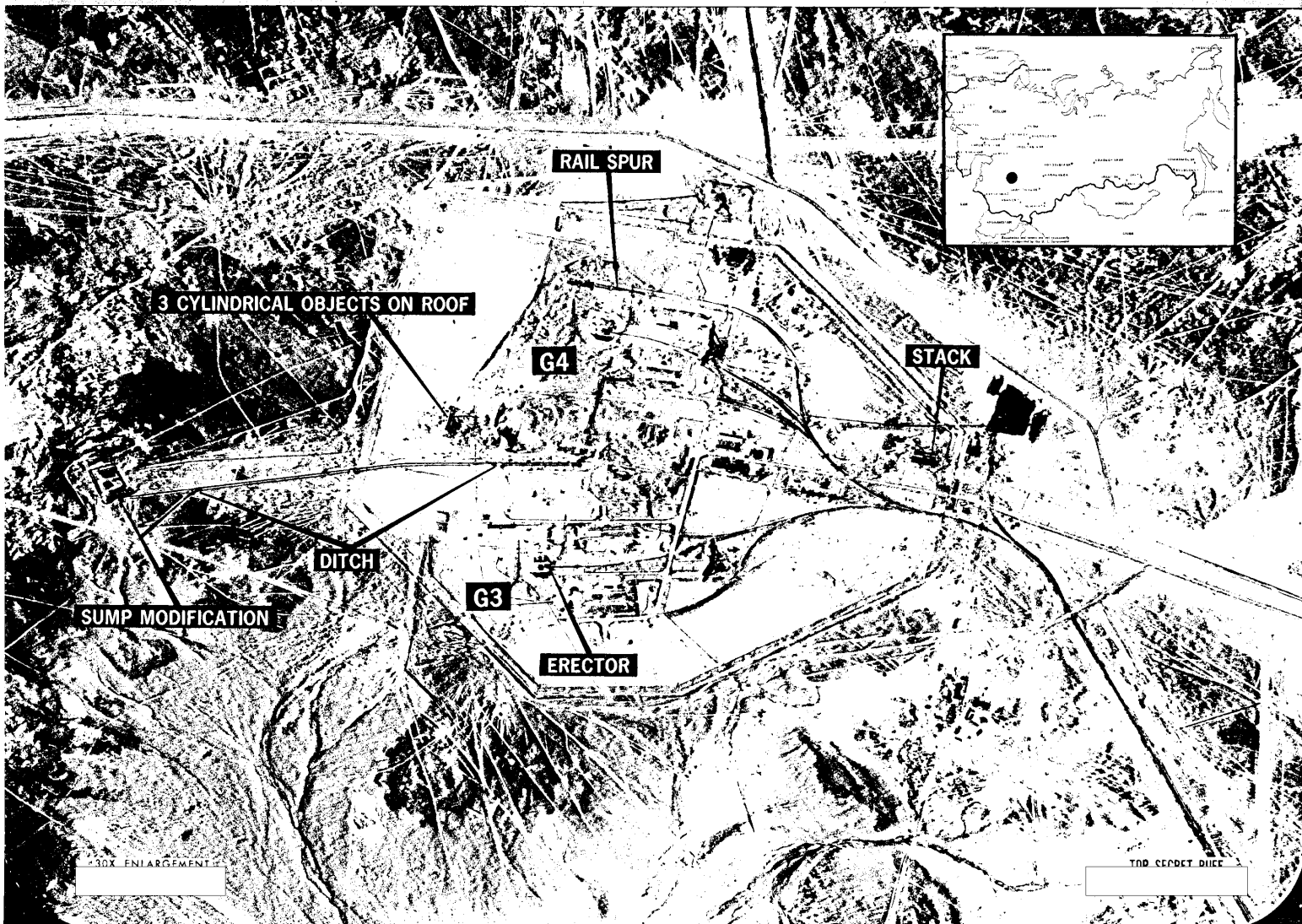


# LAUNCH AREA G3-G4

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